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Santiago de Cuba, with ore; no passengers; bill of health signed by Assistant Surgeon Von Ezdorf.

Respectfully,

T. F. RICHARDSON,
Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S., In Command.

Arrival at Baltimore of vessels from West Indian and South American ports.

BALTIMORE, MD., *March 15, 1902.*

SIR: I have to report the arrival of the following vessels at this port for the week ended this day: March 11, British steamship *Lord Lansdowne*, from Daiquiri, Cuba, with ore. March 12, American bark *Julia Rollins*, from Rio de Janeiro, with coffee. March 14, American bark *Dom Pedro II*, from Rio de Janeiro, with coffee. March 15, British steamship *Kestor*, from Santiago de Cuba, with ore; British steamship *Alabama*, from Daiquiri, Cuba, with ore; Norwegian steamship *Storfond*, from Daiquiri, Cuba, with ore.

Respectfully,

T. E. CUNNINGHAM,
Special Deputy Collector.

REPORTS FROM THE MEXICAN BORDER.

El Paso, Tex., March 15, 1902—Inspection service.—I have the honor to submit herewith summary of transactions at this station for the week ended March 15, 1902: Inspection of Mexican Central Railroad passengers, 239; inspection of Rio Grande and Pacific Railroad passengers, 15; inspection of Mexican immigrants, 106; vaccination of children of immigrants, 8; disinfection of carload of cattle hides.

E. ALEXANDER,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

Laredo, Tex., March 11, 1902—Inspection service.—I have the honor to submit following inspection report for week ended March 8, 1902: Number of passenger trains from Mexico inspected, 14; persons on passenger trains from Mexico inspected, 523; immigrants inspected and passed, 34; immigrant children vaccinated, 13.

Laredo, Tex., March 18, 1902—Inspection service.—I have the honor to submit the following inspection report for the week ended March 15, 1902: Number of passenger trains from Mexico inspected, 14; persons on trains from Mexico inspected, 485; immigrants inspected and passed, 20; immigrants vaccinated upon entry, 5.

H. J. HAMILTON,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

Statistical reports of States and cities of the United States—Yearly and monthly.

ALABAMA—*Birmingham.*—Month of February, 1902. Estimated and census population, 38,415. Total number of deaths, 71, including enteric fever, 1; scarlet fever, 3, and 7 from tuberculosis.

CALIFORNIA—*Oakland.*—Month of February, 1902. Estimated population, 75,000. Total number of deaths, 98, including diphtheria, 1; enteric fever, 1; scarlet fever, 1, and 9 from phthisis pulmonalis.

CONNECTICUT.—Reports to the State board of health, for the month of February, 1902, from 168 towns having an aggregate census population of 908,355, show a total of 1,124 deaths, including diphtheria, 18;